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Applicant(s): Toshihiko OKABE et al  
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For : DATA TRANSFER METHOD AND  
DATA TRANSFER DEVICE  
Art Unit : 2174  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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